《天路导向(粤)》双语讲义

生活中见主大能 - 9 GOD'S POWER FOR LIVING - 9

- 1. Hello, listening friends. 亲爱的朋友,你好,
- 2. We welcome you once again to this broadcast. 欢迎你再度收听我们的广播。
- 3. For those of you who are just joining us for the first time, 如果你今天是第一次收听这个节目,
- 4. we are in the second half of a message from the book of Acts, chapter 3.我们今天要讲使徒行传第三章下半段的信息。
- 5. If you have your Bibles, please turn to Acts chapter 3 verses 1 to 26. 如果你手头有圣经,请翻到使徒行传第三章 1-26 节,
- 6. In this passage, we see that Peter and John confront a beggar who is crippled and hopeless. 在这段经文里,我们看见彼得和约翰遇到一个生来瘸腿,毫无盼望的乞丐。
- 7. Peter says to the man in verse 6, "I have no silver or gold. 在第六节那里,彼得对这个人说:金银我都没有,
- 8. But in the name of Jesus, rise up." 但我奉耶稣基督的名,叫你起来行走。
- 9. The man's healing was the first miracle of the apostles after Christ's ascension. 这个人得到医治,是自从耶稣基督升天之后,使徒所行的第一个神迹。
- 10. This miracle was performed, not with silver and gold, 这个神迹不是靠金银成就的,
- 11. but through the power of the name of Jesus Christ.

 而是靠着耶稣基督的名字。
- 12. What do you think God is telling us today in this story? 你认为神借着这个故事要告诉我们什么?
- 13. Do not trust in your silver and gold. 不要倚靠你的金银。

- 14. There's nothing wrong with silver and gold, 金银没什么不对,
- 15. But don't put your trust in them. 但不要依赖他们;
- 16. Don't put your trust in your intellect. 不要信赖你的知识,
- 17. There is nothing wrong with your intellect, 知识没什么不对,
- 18. but don't let that be your source of pride. 但不要让他成为你的骄傲;
- 19. Don't trust in your family connections. 不要依赖你的家世背景,
- 20. Now, there's nothing wrong with your family connections, 家世背景没什么问题,
- 21. but they will not get you to heaven. 但他们不能让你上天堂;
- 22. But simply allow the power of God to work in you and set you free. 只要单单让神的大能在你身上运作,释放你得自由。
- 23. "Silver and gold have I none," said Peter. 彼得说: 金银我都没有,
- 24. "But in the name, of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, get up and walk."但我奉拿撒勒人耶稣基督的名,叫你起来行走。
- 25. First, this was the first miracle by the apostles. 这里先记载了使徒所行的第一个神迹,
- 26. But then there was a message. 接着就是一篇讲章。
- 27. The miracle is always a servant of the message. 神迹是辅助所要讲的信息的;
- 28. The miracle is always subservient to the message. 神迹比不上信息;
- 29. The miracle is always inferior to the message. 神迹是低于信息的。

- 30. Why do I say this? 为什么我这么说呢?
- 31. Because the miracle is temporary, but the message is permanent.
 因为神迹是眼前的,信息是永久的;
- 32. The miracle is finite, but the message is eternal. 神迹是短暂的,信息是存到永恒的;
- 33. The miracle is for a season, but the message is forever. 神迹有时间性,信息却是永远长存的。
- 34. Let me explain this some more. 让我进一步的解释:
- 35. When Jesus raised Lazarus from the dead, Lazarus died again. 耶稣叫拉撒路从死里复活,但后来拉撒路还是死了,
- 36. But those who believed because of the miracle were eternally saved.

 而那些因这个神迹而相信的人,都永远得救了。
- 37. When Peter healed the man born crippled, this man later died. 彼得医好了那个生来瘸腿的人,这个人后来也会死,
- 38. But the message that Peter preached brought many to Christ and thus, they lived forever. 但彼得所讲的道带领许多人归向基督,他们都得到了永生。
- 39. So Peter begins his message by identifying the besetting of sin. 于是彼得开始讲道,他先指出罪的缠绕。
- 40. Any preaching, teaching, witnessing or ministry that ignores the condition of sin, 任何一篇讲道、教导、见证或传道事工,如果不提人的罪,
- 41. will produce no salvation. 就不能带来救恩。
- 42. It was because of sin that Jesus died on the cross.
 耶稣是为了人的罪,死在十字架上的,
- 43. To ignore sin would be like putting a bandage over a serious wound. 忽略罪,就好像仅仅贴块胶布在一个很严重的伤口上。

- 44. When I read the Bible, I find that in all of the preaching, teaching, witnessing, ministering done by the apostles, they identified sin and called it sin.
 我读圣经时发现,无论使徒在讲道、教导、作见证或传教时,他们总是清楚指出人的罪。
- 45. They insisted that sin must be confessed and repented of.
 他们强调人必须认罪悔改,
- 46. Before salvation takes place, sin must be acknowledged and repented of. 要得到救恩,必须先认罪悔改。
- 47. I want you to look at verses 13 to 15. 请你看 13-15 节,
- 48. Peter identified their sin. 彼得指出他们的罪。
- 49. What was it? 是什么罪呢?
- 50. Here's what he said, 他这么说:
- 51. "The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, 亚伯拉罕、以撒、雅各的神,
- 52. the God whom you claim to worship, 就是你们宣称所敬拜的神:
- 53. The God who brought your forefathers out of slavery in Egypt, 就是引领你们祖宗出埃及,脱离奴役的神;
- 54. that same God sent you his promised Messiah. 就是这一位神,差派了所应许的弥赛亚来到你们中间,
- 55. Just as he told the prophets of old that he would.

正如祂告诉古代先知的预言一样。

- 56. This same God sent you his suffering servant that was prophesied in the book of Isaiah. 就是这一位神,按照祂在以赛亚先知书上所预言的,差派了受苦的仆人;
- 57. This same God sent you the life-giving Lord. 就是这一位神,差派了赐生命的主来到你们中间,
- 58. But you crucified him. 然而你们钉祂在十字架上。
- 59. You rejected him. 你们拒绝祂;

- 60. You delivered him up to Pontius Pilate. 你们把祂交给巡抚彼拉多:
- 61. You disowned your only hope for salvation. 你们弃绝了得救的唯一盼望;
- 62. You dishonored the one whom God honored." 你们藐视神所尊重的。
- 63. But, my listening friend, do you know what the irony is here? 但亲爱的朋友,你知道这里的矛盾吗?
- 64. Peter, who is saying all of these things, is the same Peter who denied Jesus three times. 这些话是彼得说的,但同一位彼得,却曾三次否认耶稣。
- 65. The Peter who disowned Jesus, 就是曾经离弃耶稣的彼得,
- 66. the Peter who disavowed any knowledge of Jesus. 曾经坚决否认耶稣的彼得。
- 67. Some of you may say, "Is he a hypocrite then? 可能有人会说,这不是很虚伪吗?
- 68. How can he condemn people for the same sins that he committed?" 他怎么能控诉别人犯他自己曾犯过的罪呢?
- 69. But my friends, this is the heart of the Christian faith. 亲爱的朋友,然而,这正是基督教信仰的真谛。
- 70. Whenever I invite you to come to Christ on the air, 每当我在节目中邀请你归向基督,
- 71. when your friends or family members plead with you to repent and receive salvation through Jesus Christ, 或是你的亲戚朋友请求你悔改,接受耶稣基督的救恩,
- 72. we are not doing that because we are superior to you.我们并不是因为自认高人一等而这么作的,
- 73. We are not doing that because we are better than you. 我们并不是因为自认比你好才这么作的,
- 74. We are doing that because we have experienced firsthand the besetting of sin. 我们这么作,是因为亲身经历过罪的缠累。
- 75. But secondly, 第二,

- 76. because we also experience the benefits of repentance from our sin. 是因为我们更加经历过从罪中悔改之后的好处。
- 77. Verses 17 to 19, 第 17-19 节,
- 78. Peter said, "You acted in ignorance." 彼得说, 你们作这事是出于不知。
- 79. What is Peter saying? 彼得的意思是什么呢?
- 80. Peter is expressing a well-known division between the sin of omission and the sin of commission. 彼得所要表达的就是,人人都知道犯罪有两种,无心的和故意的。
- 81. But here's the important thing, my listening friend; 但亲爱的朋友,重要的是,
- 82. whether your sins were committed through omission or commission,
 不论你是无心犯罪,或故意犯罪,
- 83. the consequence is the same. 结果都是一样的。
- 84. Ignorance is no excuse. 无知不是借口,
- 85. Ignorance is no defense. 无知不是你的托辞,
- 86. But when repentance takes place, 可是一旦你认罪悔改,
- 87. God, in his mercy and grace, is willing to let the past be the past. 满有恩典慈悲的神,将极其乐意地既往不咎,
- 89. Not only that, 不仅如此,
- 90. but all fears of judgment will be wiped out too. 就是连我们对最后审判的恐惧,也全然消除。
- 91. Not only that, 不仅如此,

- 92. but the much needed refreshment for your soul will take place. 我们极其需要的灵魂的更新,也会翩然来到。
- 93. The word "wiped out" in verse 19, 在 19 节里所用的,"得以涂抹"这个字 眼,
- 94. is a picture of wiping ink off a document. 就是描述在一份文件上擦去墨水。
- 95. Unlike modern ink, the ink used in the ancient world, 古代所用的墨水和现代的不同,
- 96. had no acid content. 不含酸性,
- 97. Consequently, it did not bite into the papyrus. 所以不会被蒲草纸吸收。
- 98. And could easily be wiped away without a trace by a damp sponge.
 只要用一块湿海绵,就能轻易擦去,并且不留痕迹。
- 99. I'm going to tell you something that's very, very exciting.
 现在我要告诉你一件非常兴奋的事,
- 100. when you repent of your sin, 当你认罪悔改了,
- 101. God does not merely cross out the believer's sin, 神不仅划掉信徒的罪,
- 102. but he wipes that away completely. 而是完全涂抹。
- 103. They are gone beyond any possible trace. 全然消失,了无痕迹:
- 104. They are gone beyond any possible recall. 全然消失,无从恢复;
- 105. They have disappeared with no chance of being found.
 全部失踪,不再出现;
- 106. They have vanished without a trace. 完全消失,毫无踪迹。
- 107. Just like Jesus prayed for those who nailed him to the cross, 正如耶稣为那些钉祂在十字架上的人所祷告的:

- 108. "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they are doing."
 父啊! 赦免他们,因为他们所作的他们不晓得。
- 109. In the same way, Peter is saying, 彼得也同样地说:
- 110. "Even your horrible sin of rejecting and executing your Messiah, 纵然你们犯了弃绝,并杀害弥赛亚那么可怕的罪,
- 111. can be wiped out when you repent." 也可以借着悔改,使你们的罪得以涂抹。
- 112. Let me talk to those of you who are having a hard time accepting the forgiveness of God. 如果你在接受神的赦免时有困难,我想对你说几句话;
- 113. Let me talk to those of you who are having a hard time forgiving yourself. 如果你很难原谅自己,请听我说:
- 114. If God is willing to forgive those who nailed his Son to a cross, 如果神竟然对钉祂儿子在十字架上的人都愿意赦免,
- 115. don't you think he is willing to forgive you? 你想,难道祂不愿意赦免你吗?
- 116. You say, "You don't understand. 你说:你不理解的,
- 117. I have committed terrible sins. 我犯的罪太深重了。
- 118. I have betrayed the most sacred vows of my marriage. 我违背了婚姻中神圣的誓言;
- 119. I have abused people. 我虐待伤害人:
- 120. I have abused my responsibility and the trust of others.
 我擅用权职,并滥用别人对我的信任;
- 121. I have embezzled and used monies that don't belong to me." 我盗用公款。
- 122. My listening friend, listen very carefully. 亲爱的朋友,请留心听我说:
- 123. Whatever the magnitude of your sin, 不论你犯的罪有多严重,

- 124. God's grace is greater than all of your sins. 神的恩典总比你所有的罪加起来更多,更重。
- 125. All of us who have faced the besetting of sin, 我们这些面对不断纠缠我们的罪的人,
- 126. know the benefits of repentance. 都知道认罪悔改所能带来的益处。
- 127. But thirdly, 第三,
- 128. we also know the blessings of surrender. 我们也知道,顺服神所蒙的福。
- 129. Peter closes his sermon in Acts 3:25 to 26 on a hopeful note. 使徒行传 3 章 25-26 节,彼得满怀着盼望地结束他这篇讲道。
- 130. The whole episode begins with the hopelessness of a physical condition. 这一章所记载的事件,是以一个生理有缺陷,毫无盼望的情况开始的,
- 131. And now it concludes with the hope of the blessing of God. 现在却结束在对神所赐的恩福的盼望上。
- 132. They can experience the fulfillment of God's promise to Abraham. 他们可以经历到神对亚伯拉罕应许的实现,
- 133. Namely, that through Jesus Christ, 也就是通过耶稣基督,
- 134. all the families of the earth shall be blessed. 地上的万族都要蒙福。
- 135. All the rich blessings of salvation, 救恩中一切丰盛的福分,
- 136. and all of the covenant promises, 神与我们立约的所有应许,
- 137. are all available to you today. 今天都为你预备好了,
- 138. Just as they were available to Peter's hearers in Acts chapter 3. 正如预备给当年在使徒行传第三章里,那些听彼得讲道的人一样。
- 139. Regardless of what you have done, 不论你过去作过些什么,
- 140. regardless of the life you have led, 不论你以往过的是什么样的生活,
- 141. regardless of the guilt you may have been carrying,
 不论你背负着什么样的罪担,

- 142. God will bless you when you repent. 只要你悔改,神必赐福给你。
- 143. Repentance is not just feeling sorry. 悔改不仅仅是后悔,
- 144. Repentance is the deep desire to want to change.
 梅改更是诚心诚意地愿意改变。
- 145. God will visit you with heavenly refreshment when you turn to him. 当你回转归向神的时候,神就会以属天的更新临到你身上。
- 146. The devil cannot stand God's blessings on you. 魔鬼受不了神赐福给你,
- 147. So, he will stir up trouble just like he did with the early church. 于是想方设法地搅扰你,就像他搅扰初代教会那样。
- 148. But the blessings of repentance include the power to face opposition. 然而悔改所带来的福分,包括了抵挡压迫的能力。
- 149. Our time has run out, 我们的节目时间又差不多到了,
- 150. and it is my hope and prayer that you will repent and turn to the Lord, 我们的盼望和祈祷就是,你愿意悔改,并归向神,
- 151. and that you would write and tell us. 同时盼望你能写信告诉我们。
- 152. Until next time, I wish you God's richest blessing. 愿神大大地赐福给你,下次节目再会。